YONKERS.

All the Aldermen except one were present at the meeting of the Common Council on Monday night, and the attendance of citizens was large. There were two subjects of importance to come up. was the nominations of Caleb F. Underhill and Edward Underhill for assessors, and the other was the nominations of Henry R. Hicks and John H. Coyne for Police Commissioners. After some dis-cussion the Messrs. Underhill were confirmed. As cussion the Messrs. Underhill were confirmed. As Alderman Kaler was absent, action on the nominations for Police Commissioners was postponed for a full attendance of the Board. Alderman Abram H. Tompkins, who was injured recently in a runaway accident, was in attendance at the meeting. An appropriation of \$90 was made for St. John's Hospital and a similar amount was appropriated for St. Joseph's Hospital, and \$400 for the Homocopathic Home and Maternity, for the care of the sick and disabled poor. Thomas W. Ivers was appointed a Commissioner of Deeds. The Council accepted an invitation from the Mayor of Binghamton to take part in the celebration in that city or July 5, when the cornerstone of the new municipal building will be laid. John Madigan received the contract for grading Radford-st., from South Broadway to Mel.ean-ave., and also for grading Locust and Atherton etc. J. A. & D. V. Murphy received the contract for building a sewer in Atherton and Locust sist. The Mayor and Aldermen accepted the invitation of the Grand Army Memorial Committee to be present at the Memorial exercises this year.

MOUNT VERNON.

The members of the G. A. R., the S. of V. and the Second Separate Company have accepted an invitation to attend services in the Church of the Ascension on Sunday morning. The Second Separate Company will be the escort. In the evening the same organizations will attend special services in the Presbyterian Church.
Mrs. James M. Dearborn, the wife of James M. Dearborn, is dangerously ill at her home, on Ches-ter Hill, and it is feared that she cannot recover.

SING SING.

The annual reception of Mohegan Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be held in this village to-day, the anniversary of the "meet-ing of the Provincial Congress to arrange and prepare for the war," held May 27, 1775.

Louis Viereck, an ex-member of the German Reichstag, will lecture on Nansen's expedition to the North Pole to-night in the armory of St. John's School, in aid of the Ossining Hospital.

Miss Helen Benedict, of Greenwich, Conn., tooled the coach Enterprise for a party of four friends on Monday, which was followed by a dinner at the Indian Harbor home of her father, E. C. Benedict. Yesterday afternoon J. J. Riker entertained a party of friends on a ride overland to Rye Lake. Other coaching parties are those of Miss Schenek, daughter of C. Stewart Schenek, to-morrow: B. Lambert Sackett, on Friday, and John R. Downey, on Saturday, Mr. Downey will give a dinner for his guests at the American Yacht Club. George R. Read, owner of the Enterprise, will close the season on Saturday, June 26.

About \$100 was realized at the sale which has been going on in aid of the Rye Club. The departments were in charge of Miss Elizabeth Halstead, Miss Charlotte Cooper, Miss Maude Taylor and Mrs. D. C. Lowenstein, of Cincinnati.

Among those who have returned to their summer homes are H. H. Hendricks, of Ridge-st.; the Rev. Anson Atterbury, of Manursing Island, and Frank Daniels, who lives in the Boston Post Road. Indian Harbor home of her father, E. C. Benedict.

A concert for the benefit of the White Plains Hospital will be given at the Auditorium to-morrow evening, under the direction of H. R. Humphries, assisted by performers from out of town.

The Bedford Flower Club will hold its annual meeting this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the office of T. Ellwood Carpenter, the secretary of the club, of T. Ellwood Carpenter, the secretary of the club, and this evening there will be a meeting of the Westchester County Horticultural Society at 8 of clock in the Mount Kisco Opera House. There will be a display of plants and cut flowers, and addresses will be given by John W. Hunter, of Hempstead. Long Island, president of the American Horticultural Society; John Shaw, president of the New-York Gardeners' Society, and James T. Dolan, of New-York.

PLEASANTVILLE.

Miss Mariana Lane, the only daughter of Mr. and Miss Mariana Lane, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lane, of the Beas Ridge Road, will be married to-day to George Hunter, of this place. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents and will be a quiet one. The Friends erronfy will be used, as both the bride and bridegroom are members of that society.

NEW-ROCHELLE.

Members of the United States Artillery battallons stationed at Fort Slocum rescued nine men off Ex-ecution Rocks on Manday night. The men were in ecution Rocks on Manday night. The men were in the twenty-foot cathoat Twilight, owned by Thomas Kennedy, of Manhassett, Long Island, and had been cut fishing when the gale came up and drove them on the rocks. They fired signals and attracted the attention of the soldiers. The men were clinging in the rigging when Sergeant Powell and a crew of six soldiers put out in a whaleboat, and after much difficulty brought the men to New-Rochelle.

The first of the series of open house days for women will be given on Saturday, at the Huguenot Yacht Club house, in Neptune Place, under the auspices of W. B. Greeley, V. C. Brown and J. S. Banborn, of the House Committee. Music and refreshments in the afternoon will be followed by dancing at night.

TARRYTOWN.

The trustees of Irvington and Tarrytown held a joint meeting in this village yesterday, and granted permission to Alexander Duer Irving to change the permission to Alexander Duer Irving to change the course of Sunnyside Lane. This means that the long contest between the present owner of Sunnyside and this village has been amicably settled. The proposed sewer will pass through the new road, which will be in the limits of Irvington, as the dividing line between the two villages is the centre of the present lane

The twenty-fourth hearing in the case of John D. and William Reckefeller against the assessors of the town of Mount Fleasant, which was set for yesterday, was adjourned until next Tuesday.

THE WATER CURE AT BELLEVUE.

PHYSICIANS GIVE UP HOPE OF SAVING MENCKE ANOTHER CURIOUS CASE UNDER TREATMENT. .

The Bellevue Hospital physicians who are watching Louis Mencke, the patient who is undergoing the hot-bath treatment for paralysis of certain nerves and gangrene of the skin, yesterday gave up herves and gangrene of the sain, yesterday gave hope of curing Mencke. The disease from which he is suffering, it was said, had made too great inroads into his system for any cure to be efficacious, and the best that could be done was to make him comfortable while life lasted.

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There is another patient undergoing the water-cure treatment in Bellevue Hospital. He is Emmanuel Black, fifteen years old, of Fisherville, Mass. He was taken to the hospital on May II, suffering from a disease known as ichthyosis, or the fish skin disease, a thickening and roughening of the skin, parts of which when affected by the disease become hard and scaly. Black will be kept in a bath tub filled with water from 8 o'clock every morning until midnight. He will then be allowed to go to bed for eight hours, after which he will be placed in the tub again. This is done to try to prevent the disease of the skin from entering the system. It is not known how the boy contracted the disease.

SALE OF TICHENOR & CO.'S HORSES. At the sale of horses at the American Horse Exchange yesterday the horses consigned by M. H. Tichenor & Co., of Chicago, realized good prices. Tichenor & Co., of Chicago, realized good prices. Edgar and Pickett, a handsome pair of bays, were knocked down to J. D. Wall, of Newark, N. J., for 985. Ben and Lial, a pair of chestnuts, were secured by L. J. Belloni for \$555. Fortune, a handsome black cob, cost Dr. A. H. Doty, of Rosepank, N. J., \$30. The bidding was brisk, and the gale was satisfactory to the management and their natrons.

MEDICAL SOCIETY'S ATTITUDE.

The special Committee on Abuses, of the Medical Society of the County of New-York, held an informal conference yesterday and outlined a plan of cam-paign against dispensaries and hospitals that are treating patients who are able to employ the ser-vices of a doctor. After the meeting Dr. Earl Sprague Bullock talked freely about the matters

that had been discussed. "The statement is made," he said, "that the general practitioner is unfriendly toward the seven hundred medical men who are employed in the hospitals and dispensaries in this city. This is not so, but there is a decided hostlitty on the part of all medical men toward the way in which a large number of medical charity institutions are mismanaged. Our antagonism is not based altogether on material interests, but upon the most unimpeachable ethics. We claim that a charity institution which is not governed according to sociological principles is inside to the interests of the people themselves. I cannot agree with the statement that the more hospitals we have the better. I believe there is a limit. It is a fact that a great many hospitals in this city are struggling for existence, and that the rivalry between them to secure patients is as keen as that between mercantile houses. One hospital last winter, capable of holding 1,000 patients, had ninety persons in its wards. J. P. Morgan is about to erect a \$1,000,000 maternity hospital, and yet we have already in this city enough institutions of the kind to take care of all the births that occur in the city.

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"We do not wish in any way to limit the number of hospitals or dispensaries. Such is not the intent of the county societ yor any other organization engaged in this movement of charity reform. Our whole object is to piace all medical charitable institutions under a board that will govern them with equity and justice to all concerned."

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RAINES LAW AMENDMENTS.

PROTEST BY THE INDEPENDENCE HALL DEMOCRACY - SPEECHES BY MESSRS. ACKERT, HARBURGER AND HARVIER.

A protest against the Raines law amendments was made last evening at a mass-meeting which filled the large hall of Cooper Union to overflowing. The meeting was called by the Independence Hall Democracy, in which Julius Harburger, the former Excise Commissioner, and Ernest Harvier, the Commissioner of the Park Avenue Improvement, are leaders. It was apparent that the larger part of the audience came from the East Side, and the sentiment of the audience plainly was in favor of a more liberal excise law than the one now in

Ex-Judge Alfred T. Ackert presided at the ing, and in a preliminary address declared: "We believe in home rule and no trust combinations, and in laws made by our own citizens to suit the wishes of our own people. We condemn the excise legislation of last winter because it was un-Democratic, illiberal and unjust. There has been created by these laws what is seemingly a hotel trust, in violation of the rights of others and in violation of Democratic principles. And a liberty-loving people will not remain quiet until these unjust laws are reformed, altered or abolished in such manner as shall be judged most conducive to the welfare and happiness of the whole people."

The resolutions which had been prepared for the

meeting were passed almost unanimously, declaring in part as follows:

We oppose the Raines Liquor law and its amendments as unwise, unnecessary, oppressive, and in violation of Democratic principles; we oppose them as being an invasion of the personal rights of citizens in the cosmopolitan city of New-York, and as a serious obstacle to independence in political action; we oppose them as unjust, because, under their operation, the city of New-York pays \$2,000,000 toward State taxes and receives in return less than \$500,000 a year, the rate of tax discriminating against this city and in favor of the rural counties; we oppose all such measures designed to interfere with the legitimate business and established customs of the people, because by reason of the impossibility of their honest and equal enforcement and the artifice, subterfuge and corruptions which they cause, all laws and legal regulations are brought into contempt.

Ex-Commissioner Harburger, who had many friends in the audience, made a speech in which he in part as follows:

friends in the audience, made a speech in which he declared that the Raines law was the most oppressive, obnoxious and iniquitous measure ever

pressive, obnoxious and iniquitous measure ever passed by the Legislature. He argued in favor of more individual liberty for the people of the city, and declared that what he called the "vested rights" of the liquor-dealers ought not to be taken away from them. He attacked President Moss of the Police Board for going into a "club" and getting admitted to membership under an assumed name, saying that the action of Mr. Moss was that of a spy, and that such a man ought not to be the general of a police force of four thousand men. He also predicted a Tammany victory in the coming municipal fight if the opponents of Tammany favored the Raines law.

There were several other speakers, Commissioner Harvier declared that the Independent Democrats will not support a ticket favoring the action of the Legislature on the liquor tax law, but if a ticket is nominated on local issues exclusively, and under such conditions as invite the support of all independent citizens, as was the case in 1854 when Mr. Strong was elected, they have not "yielded any of their views to Tammany Hall and the system of polities which it represents in New-York." "I have been fighting Tammany since I have had a vote." said Commissioner Harvier last night, "and I hope to be fighting Tammany this year again—and in successful company."

THE COLONIZATION OF PALESTINE.

TEWISH RABRIES AND PROMINENT LAYMEN MEET AND PAVOR THE PROJECT.

In response to a call issued by the Rev. Dr. H. Pereira Mendes, about thirty Jewish rabbies and laymen met last night at the Temple Shearith Israel, recently formed in Munich, Bayaria, for the co recently formed in Munich, Bavaria, for the colonization and possible purchase of Palestine as a State for the Hebrews, The meeting was private, but after it was over Professor Richard Gottheil, the son of the Rev. Dr. Gottheil, said that nothing final had been accomplished, but that a committee, composed of the Rev. Dr. K. Kohler, H. P. Mendes and Isidor Straus, had been appointed to draft resolutions which would favor colonization in Palestine, but would oppose the scheme of making it a State, as they regarded that proposition as absurd. The resolutions would also favor a revision of the methods of distributing alms in Palestine.

THE DEMOCRATIC UNION PLANS.

ACTION ON THE PLATFORM POSTPONED-MANY NEW MEMBERS JOIN.

The Executive Board of the Democratic Union met last night at the headquarters of the Union, No. 617 Fifth-ave. The meeting was held primarily to adopt a platform for the coming campaign in Greater New-York, but although a platform was reported by the Committee on Resolutions it was not adopted, and will not be promulgated until a later meeting, to be called by the chairman of the

Of the one hundred members of the Executive Committee, about fifty attended the meeting. John J. Pulleyn presided, and among the others present were Walter Stanton, George D. Dressler, Charles A. Jackson, Louis May, Robert McCafferty, Judge Edward F. O'Dwyer, Frederick T. Adams, C. A. L. Amend, S. W. Brice, Edmund F. Clyne, J. H. Dressler, J. F. Doyle, Adam A. Dutenhofer, Judge C. F. Duffy, John Emis, of Brooklyn; Charles B. Fornes, ex-Governor Hoadly of Ohio, R. Duncan Harris, Charles W. Kraschaar, Jefferson M. Levy, Edward V. Loew, John G. O'Keefe, G. W. Post, J. V. S. Oddle, William E. Pearl, Frederick Potter, M. Warley Platzek, Robert B. Roosevelt, Elljah O. Smith, John A. Sullivan, Evan Thomas, Justice Charles H. Truax and Clermont H. Wilcox.

In the early part of the meeting the Committee on Finance reported that arrangements had been partly completed to secure Madison Square Garden for a mass-meeting in the interests of the movement. A committee was appointed to select speakers for the meeting. It was decided to declare in the platform the stand of the Union on the silver and gold question. An expression of the reasons for the formation of the Union and its opposition to the Clitizens Union will also find a place. Home rule is another plank, and, it is said, full power for the Mayor for the greater city another. It was also decided that after the meeting the platform should undergo another revision by the Committee on Resolutions, and that a special meeting for its final consideration and adoption should be held. This will probably be late this week. The platform will then be published.

It was reported at the meeting that about four hundred new members had been added to the union. There are now about fifteen hundred members. The chairman of the committees appointed last night are as follows: Organization, Henry P. Townley; Finance, Walter Stanton; Press and Printing, Everett N. Blanke, Meetings of the Executive Committee will be held every Tuesday. J. Pulleyn presided, and among the others present were Walter Stanton, George D. Dressler, Charles

CANADIAN TARIFF CHANGES.

IMPORTANT AMENDMENTS ANNOUNCED BY THE

FINANCE MINISTER. Ottawa, May 25.-Finance Minister Fielding made a statement in the House of Commons to-night as to the changes be proposed to make in committee in the tariff. The preferential clause is to be so altered as to permit every country having a treaty with Great Britain which entitles it to the lower duties to obtain them, so that the preferential tariff is not to be given exclusively to Great Britain, although that country is now the only one enjoying the benefit of it or in a position to do so. The excise duty on tobacco leaf is to be changed to a customs duty after July 1, and, while the duty on eigarettes will remain \$3 a thousand on all imported, those made from Canadian leaf will pay only \$1.50 a thousand, as in the old duty. The duty on cut mails will be changed back to a specific duty of half a cent a pound. It was three-fourths of a cent under the Conservative tariff. The scrap-iron duty will be reduced from \$4\$ to \$2\$ a ton. with Great Britain which entitles it to the lower

Washington, May 25.-The Secretary of War has States military attaché at the Embassy in London. Captain Carter is an engineer officer of high professional attainments, and succeeds to the place in the Embassy which has been vacant since the return to this country of Colonel Ludlow, who left the post to assume his duties on the Nicaraguan Canal Commission. Wed. & Thursday, May 26th & 27th.

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HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS. ASTOR-Major Lowrey, United States Marine Corps, and John G. D. Knight, Engineer Corps, U. S. A. CAMBRIDGE-Baron von Reithenau, secretary of the German Embassy at Washington, D. C. FIFTH AVENUE—Ex-Senator Frank Hiscock, of Syracuse; Baron W. von Bergen, German Minister to Central America, and ex-Congressman George West, of Balston Spa, N. Y. MURRAY HILL—I. West, of Balston Spa, N. Y. MURRAY HILL—J. H. P. Atkinson, U. S. A. PARK AVENUE—Judge E. C. Lewis, of Waterbury, Conn., and Professor Julius D. Dreker, of Roanoke College, Va. WALDORF—Colonei G. W. Macfarlane, of Honolulu, and J. C. Cramp, of Philadelphia. WINDSOR—General Charles Miller, of Franklin, Penn.; General George R. Davis, of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Morrison, of Honolulu.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Presentation of medals to firemen, Union Square, Executive Council of State Ban'ters' Association, Chamber of Commerce.

Morris Park races, 2:30 p. m. Trustees of the College of the City of New-York

Mass-meeting of trolley men, Athenæum, Brook-Good Government Club E, No. 145 East Eighteenth-st., 8 p. m.

Annual meeting of Union Club, evening. Dinner for Postmaster Van Cott, De La Salle In-Presentation of loving-cup to Colonel Thomas E. Sloan, Hotel Waldorf, evening. Aqueduct and Police Commissioners' meetings.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Another remittance of \$30,000 was sent by cable to India yesterday from "The Christian Herald" Relief Fund, being the third remittance forwarded since the fund opened.

The new cable connecting Eilis and Governor's islands with New-York was opened yesterday. The first telephone message over the wires was sent by General O. L. Spaulding, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. Contencin & Son yesterday had on exhibition at

No. 2 Stone-st. some oranges raised in Rodi, Italy, from seeds of Indian River (Florida) oranges, planted eleven years ago. These ripen in Italy at the time that the Florida crop is all marketed here. Charles J. O'Brien, of No. 31 Gouverneur-st., was

"Republican night" at the Irish Fair last night was a great success. In the throng that pushed and jostled about the booths in the Grand Central Palace were Edward Lauterbach, John P. Windolph, Frederick S. Gibbs, Jacob M. Patterson, Cornelius Van Cott, Jehn J. Collina, Abraham Gruber, George R. Bidwell, Silas C. Croft, William H. Ten Eyck, George R. Manchester and many other well-known politicians.

The body found in the East River off Ray Island on Monday was identified yesterday as that of James T. Raymond, of No. 79 West One-hundred-and-second-st. It is believed that he was standing up fishing in the boat he had hired, and that the boat capsized.

Richard M. Scruggs, the aged St. Louis merchant, and his secretary, E. J. Langhorne, who were passengers on the St. Paul, which arrived on Saturday, and were arrested for smuggling diamond jewelry, paid a visit yesterday to the Custom House, where Mr. Scruggs explained to Deputy-Collector Phelps, in charge of the Law Division, that he had no intention of defrauding the Government. He did not suppose the articles were dutiable. It was not made clear why his secretary, Langhorne, had some of the things attached to his suspenders. James McCreery, the drygoods mer-chant, who accompanied the two, said he knew Mr. Scruggs to be an honorable business man.

LONGSHOREMEN AND STEAMSHIP OWNERS The second day's session of the first convention of the American Longshoremen's Union was held yesterday at No. 347 West Houston-st. Edward McHugh again presided. A cable message was received from Richard McGhee, M. P., the president of the National Union of Dock Laborers, bearing hearty greetings from the British Dockers' Congress to their American brethren. The Executive Council was recommended to raise the initia-tion fee from 50 cents to \$1 and to issue badges to the members of the union. A mortality benefit fund was also established, and the secretary was instructed to request the carriers of barbed wire to refuse to transport wire that was not properly

A resolution was passed asking the secretary to endeavor to formulate some plan in conjunction with the steamship firemen's unions in Europe whereby the firemen upon their arrival from Europe might be prevented from loading and un loading coal on their ships, as this work should be left for longshoremen to do. Should the secre-

be left for longshoremen to do. Should the secretary be successful in carrying out his instructions the steamship companies will have to pay a much larger sum for having this work done than they do now, as firemen receive about \$15 a month and longshoremen get 30 cents an hour.

There was some discussion regarding a "hold-out system," which longshoremen say was instituted by the Old Dominion Steamship Line this year. By this, it was explained, is meant that the companies retain a part of the wages of the men each week, and in case the men quit work without giving a week's notice they do not get the sum held from their pay. It is expected that definite action will be taken on this system.

Officers will be nominated and probably elected by the convention to-day.

DECORATION DAY AT NIAGARA FALLS. The New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad announ es a Decoration Day half-fare exroad announ es a Decoration Day half-fare ex-cursion to Niagara Falls on Saturday next—one fare for the round trip. The scenery at and around Niagara Falls is superb at this season of the year. Every one who can do so should take advantage of these exceedingly low rates. The hotels on both the American and Canadian sides are now open, and will make reduced rates to holders of New-York Central excursion tickets. New-York Central ticket agents will supply all information desired.

TO CELEBRATE A WAR ANNIVERSARY. The Society of the Nineteenth Army Corps will pmemorate the thirty-fourth anniversary of the first assault on Port Hudson with a dinner at the Hotel Savey to-merrow at 7 o'clock. Old comrades Hotel Savoy to-morrow at a octocal old comrades will meet once more and revive the memories of Forts Jackson and St. Philip, of Baton Rouge and Port Hudson, of the Teche and Atchafalaya, of the Red River and Cedar Creek. Invitations have been sent to many eminent officers, and some interesting

FOR CLOSED CARS IN SUMMER.

The complaints of persons who object to riding open cars provided by the streetcar companies in the summer months have been heard by President Wilson of the Board of Health, and at the meeting of the Board yesterday he offered an amendment to the Sanitary Code providing that amendment to the Sanitary Code providing that one of every four cars run on the roads in this city in summer shall be closed. In offering the amendment President Wilson said that he had re-ceived numerous complaints from persons who asserted that they had become ill from riding in open cars. Under the rule, the amendment went over until the meeting next week, when it will be acted upon.



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THE FRIENDS' MEETING.

VIVISECTION AND MILITARISM IN SCHOOLS DISCUSSED.

The report of the Philanthropic Committee of the Society of Friends was read at yesterday morning's session in the annual meeting of the society. The topics touched upon in the report were mission work among women and children, social purity, demoralizing publications, temperance, tobacco, gambling, capital punishment, prison reform, the education of colored people in the South, Indian affairs, and peace and arbitration. There was no discussion of the report, which merely told of the work of the committee along the lines indicated. Among other things, the report told of petitions sent to Congress in favor of the Arbitration Treaty, but there was no condemnation of Congress for its action in rejecting the treaty.

The most interesting feature of the meeting was a discussion of vivisection, started by a request of Friend Mary Leggett Emory, of Irvington-on-the-Hudson, that the meeting take a stand against vivisection. Dr. Charles McDowell replied in favor of vivisection. The argument of Mrs. Emory was that the practice was cruel. Dr. McDowell replied that the statements of the anti-vivisectionists were nuch overdrawn. Those who practised it, he said,

much overdrawn. Those who practised it, he said, were not brutal, but were working for the good of mankind. No action was taken by the meeting either for or against vivisection.

At the afternoon meeting of the Friends the report of the School Committee was read, and it was decided to continue the Friends' Home in Fifteenth-st, for another year, though a proposal to buy the house and endow it by the raising of a fund of \$75,000 was not accepted. In regard to the Friends' schools it was decided to authorize the committee to spend \$500 toward the education of the children in those institutions. This does not mean, however, that only this amount will be spent in this direction. Gifts to several times that amount are made yearly to the committee and its work for the year were found to be acceptable to the meeting.

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One of the Friends declared himself as approving the work of the schools on account of the need among Friends for them, because there was growing up so much of a military spirit in the public schools. Another Friend said that it was the duty of members of the society to see to it that teachers taught "the plain language" in schools.

At last night's meeting William M. F. Round, secretary of the New-York Prison Association, by invitation of the meeting delivered an address on "Prison Reform."

ADMITS ITS ERROR IN COURT.

THE EVENING POST" MAKES A RETRACTION OF STATEMENTS AGAINST C. P. FLINT.

Justice Smyth in the Supreme Court, vesterday heard a motion for the discontinuance of the suit of Charles R. Flint against "The Evening Post" for formation of a company by Mr. Flint to buy New-York Times." The suit was for \$250,000. When the case was called Lawrence Godkin, jr., counsel for "The Evening Post," arose and read the follow-

for "The Evening Post," arose and read the following statement:

I am instructed by the defendants in this action to say that they regret exceedingly the publication complained of by Mr. Flint, which was made by "The Evening Post" without any intention of casting any reflection on Mr. Flint or upon the part taken by him in the purchase of "The Times" newspaper. It was published without malice and in ignorance of the merits of the controversy arising out of such purchase. Inquiry into this leads the defendants to say that they are convinced that Mr. Flint was actuated by public spirit in the purchase of "The Times" newspaper, as were his associates, James T. Woodward, John P. Townsend and Edward M. Shepard, all of whom subscribed to and secured subscriptions for its purchase, and the defendants are satisfied that their purpose was to preserve and continue a wholesome and dignified metropolitan journal, and that they have received no compensation for their services by way of stock or otherwise in connection with the matter.

The day after the original publication "The Evening Post," desiring and intending to exact justice, gladly and not grandingly retracts everything in said article implying or imputing to anybody fraud or stock-watering or non-payment of subscription." In making the original retraction and this supplementary statement, the defendants are animated by a desire to do full justice to Mr. Flint and his associates.

Mr. Einstein, counsel for Mr. Flint, said he was satisfied that "The Evening Post" had been deceived and had acted in ignorance of the facts and without malice in publishing the article complained of. The case was stricken from the calendar.

ALDERMEN AND THE FRANCHISES.

MR. HALL'S RESOLUTION REFERRED TO THE RAILROAD COMMITTEE.

The Aldermen's chamber in the City Hall wit-

nessed another commotion yesterday, and, as on the preceding day, it was a result of the agitation over the city's right to gain possession of surfacroads in Sixth and Eighth aves. now controlled by the Metropolitan Traction Company. When Alderman Hall offered a resolution of the same purport essentially as that discussed before the Railroad Committee on Monday, directing the Corporation Counsel to begin legal proceedings to determine and enforce the city's lawful claim to the roads in question, he precipitated a heated debate, which asted until the side that wanted to take immediate action was defeated by a vote of 14 to 10. Alderman Hall said that the matter had been be

fore the Aldermen and the general public long enough, and some definite action should be taken, Alderman Brown said that to take the action con templated would be a discourtesy not only to the Railroad Commissioners but to the courts. No such resolution should be passed until the appeal

Rallroad Commissioners but to the courts. No such resolution should be passed until the appeal from Justice Beach's decision had been decided. Alderman Goodman moved to refer the resolution to the Railroad Committee.

Alderman Hail spoke against the motion, saying: "Each one of us is a trustee of the city's property. This trustee has in his employment a Corporation Counsel to whom he is paying \$12,000 a year to conduct his law business. In opposition to the opinion of many lawyers and that of the former Judge of our highest court, he has the opinion of a judge of original jurisdiction that his claim is not valid, rendered in a suit in which the trustee was not the plaintiff, and in which his lawyer said he had no opinion to offer, and he is told that this opinion is in direct opposition to a decision of the Court of Appeals and another Judge of one of the lower courts. Would any business man under such conditions abandon his claim to those millions of dollars? This question will rise up and harass us until the rights of the city have been established by the court of last resort."

Alderman Gakley said he believed in the city acquiring the ownership of the roads, but in the mean time he thought the company should be permitted to change the motive power, as it did not constitute a waiver of the city's rights.

Alderman Hale's resolution was finally referred.

Alderman Goodman gave notice that he would offer a resolution requesting the Controller to examine all city department payrolls and see that fictitious names, if there were any such, were removed. The resolution receited that it had "been frequently charged that the names of fictitious persons have been carried upon the payrolls of the various departments of the city of New-York, and that compensation has been given to persons realding and doing business in other States who perform no services for the city, and that proof of the latter fact can be secured by the Commissioners of Accounts in the person of Charles W. Haskins, alleged to be an expert accountant

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PROTEST AGAINST THEIR TAXES.

NORTH TARRYTOWN ASSESSORS HEAR COM-PLAINTS FROM WELL-KNOWN RESIDENTS. The assessors of North Tarrytown met in the corporation rooms of that village yesterday after-

Unlike the method of the assessors of Tarrytown in hearing the grievances in public, the Board examined the taxpayers in a private room, which

caused much criticism. Among the protesting taxpayers were F. Kendall, William A. Warnock, David S. Brome, Daniel Armstrong, Dr. Horace Reynolds, A. E. Bliss, Mrs. J. Rice, Edward T. Lovett, Anson Husted, Henry C. Griffen, Frank Husted and Clarence Davidson. Howard H. Morse, ex-president of the Davidson. Howard H. Morse, ex-president of the village, and George E. Hutchinson, superintendent of John D. Rockefeller's Pocantico Hills home, appeared for William and John D. Rockefeller, objecting to the increased assessments on their properties in the corporation. William Floyd, representing the New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad, asked for a reduction. Henry Fielden protested against the personal assessments for Miss M. Van Wort and Miss Ellen Archer. Eugene Jones was represented by Warren E. Dix, of New-York. A large number submitted to examinations, while a number of others filed their affidavits, protesting against their increased assessments.

The Board will now sit daily to review the complaints and fix the tax rate for this year.

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PORT OF NEW-YORK-TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1897. ARRIVED.

Steamer American (Dutch), Butz, Newcastle May 13, in ballast to C H Randebrock. Arrived at the Bar at 2:30 a m er Mongolian (Br), Brats, Glasgow May 16 and

Moville 15, with moise, 42 cabin and 57 steerage passengers to Austin Baldwin & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 12:50 p m. Westernland (Belg), Mills, Antwerp May 15, with moise, 79 cabin and 281 steerage passengers to International Navigation Company. Arrived at the Bar at 1:25 p m. Steamer Prussia (Ger), Schmidt, Hamburg May 11, and Halifax, N. S. 23, with moise to the Hamburg-American Line, Arrived at the Bar at 1:25 p m. Steamer Amerika (Dan). Thomsen, Copenhagen May 11, and Halifax, and Christiansand 14, with moise, 42 cabin and 243 steerage passengers to Funch, Edye & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 3 p m. Steamer Cilve (Br), Heeley, Genon May 5, Naples 9 and Gibraltar 13, with moise and 1,203 passengers to Furness, Withy & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 5 p m. Steamer Holstein (Ger), Hoppe, Cape Hayti May 8, Gonstven 10, Petit Goave 11, Carrascona 12, and Santa-Martha 18, with moise to Fun, Forwood & Kellock. Arrived at the Bar at 5 a m. Steamer Adicondack (Br), Sansom, Kingston May 8, Savannilas 11, Greytown 14, Port Limon 17 and Kingston 29, with moise and 62 passengers to Pim, Forwood & Kellock. Arrived at the Bar at 4:29 a m. Steamer Holstein (Nor), Green; Cardenas May 18 and Mathanas 20, with sugar to W D Munson. Arrived at the Bar at 4:40 p m. Steamer Tollahasce, Arkin, Savannah May 23, with moise and passengers to the Ocean Sa Co. Steamer Tallahasce, Arkin, Savannah May 23, with moise and passengers to the Ocean Sa Co. Steamer Tallahasce, Arkin, Savannah May 23, with moise and passengers to Old Dominion Sa Co. Steamer Crylon (Nor), Honsen, Havana May 16 and Matanzas 18, with sugar to Daniel Bacon, Arrived at the Bar at 1:0:5 a m. Steamer Crylon (Nor), Honsen, Havana May 16 and Matanzas 18, with sugar to Daniel Bacon, Arrived at the Bar at 1:0:55 a m. Steamer Crylon (Nor), Honsen, Havana May 22, with moise and passengers to Old Dominion Sa Co. Steamer Rio Grande, Staples, Brunswick May 22, with moise and passengers to Holland-American Line. Arrived at the Bar at 1:0:10 p m. CLEARED.

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Steamer Philadelphia, Chambers, La Guayra, Puerto Cabello, etc.—Boulton, Bliss & Dallett.
Steamer Liv (Nor), Hansen, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, etc.—Barber & Co.
Steamer Konsington (Gr.), Roberts, Antwerp—International Navigation Company,
Steamer Afred Dumois (Nor), Welburst, Port Antonio—American Fruit Company,
Steamer Therestina (Br.), Hughes, Para, Maranham and Ceara—Shipton Green.
Steamer Southwold (Br.), Couves, Kiel—Barber & Co.
Steamer Grenada (Br.), Fegg, Grenada and Trinidad—Hugh Butlet.
Steamer St. Enoch (Br.), Mendle, Antwerp—Sanderson & Son.

n. Steamer Sama (Nor), Anderson Bergen—Ove Lange. Steamer Britannic (Br), Haddock, Liverpool—H Matt-Steamer Britannie (Br), Ruberth, Harwich—Simpson nd Kersey, Steamer Parthia (Br), Ruberth, Harwich—Simpson Steamer Parthia (Br), Ruberth, Harwich—Simpson pence & Young, Cara (Br), Thomas, Valparaiso, Calle pence & Young.

Steamer Corp. Corp. (Br). Thomas, Valparaiso, Callao.

C.-W. R. Grace & Co.

Steamer Taormina (Ger), Mulier, Newport News.—Funch r St Paul, Jamison, Southsmpton-International Navigation (b. Steamer Stella (Nor), Hunn, Philadelphia-Miller, Bull Knowiton. Steamer Johanna (Ger), Petersen, Chicoutimi-J H Wit Cv. Europe (Br), Robinson, London—New-York hipping Co. Steamer Mathilda (Nor), Taarvig, Perth Amboy-W D tunson. Steamer John Englis, Bragg, Portland—Horatio Hall, Steamer Herman Winter, Nicerson, Boston—H F D

Nteamer Benefactor, Townsend, Philadelphia—William 1 Tyde & Co. lyde & Co. Steamer Jamestown, Boaz, Norfolk—Old Dominion Ss Co. Steamer Alert, Waterbury, Stamford—Frank Dean, Bark St Lucle, Erskine, Bahia—Filnt, Eddy & Co. Bark Levenbank (Bri, Kennedy, Calcutta—Gust Heye. SAILED.

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Steamers Aurania (Br), for Liverpool; Fitzpatrick (Br), Dunkirk: Liv (Nor), Singapore, Hong Kong, etc; Theresina (Br), Para, Maranham and Ceara; Philadelphia, La Guayra, etc; Richmond, Richmond; Jamestown Norfolk: Naccochee, Savannah; Benefactor, Philadelphia; Trave (Ger), Bremen, via Plymouth; South Portland, Port Antonio; Cevic (Br), Liverpool.

Ship James Drummond, Yokohama.
Bark Autocrat (Nor), Cork.
Brig Robert Dillon, Savannah.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. SANDY HOOK LIGHT VESSEL (N. Y.).

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Notice is given hat, on or about June 15, 1807, Light Vessel No 51, moored off Sandy Hook, on the easterly prolongation of the axis of Gedney Channel, entrance to New-York Lower Bay, will be temporarily withdrawn from her station for repairs and replaced by Rellet Light Vessel No 16. Light Vessel No 16 will show a reflector light, finshing white every 15 seconds instead of an occulting electric light), from the foremast head. The light will be visible about ten nautical unless the doserver's eye 15 feet above the sea. Should the flashing light become inoperative a fixed white reflecting light will be shown from the manmast.

During thick or forgy weather a 12-inch near whistis will sound a signal of the same characteristic as that sounded from Light Vessel No 51, viz. blasts of discondary duration, separated by silent intervals of 12 seconds, Nace; Blast, 3 seconds, silent interval, 12 seconds.

Light Vessel No, 16 has two masts, schooner rigged, no bowsprit, and a black smokestack, and the steam whistis between the masts, but differs from Light Vessel No, 51 in having a yellow hull, with "Reller' in large black letters on each side, and "No, 16" in black on each how and each quarter.

Light Vessel No, 51 will be returned to her station as comparison of the same season as repairs have been completed, of which due notice will be given.

This notice affects the "List of Lights and Fog Signals, This notice affects the "List of Lights and Fog Signals, This notice affects the "List of Lights and Fog Signals, Sapello WHISTLING BUOY (GA.).

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Notice is given that on May 9, 1807, a whistling bucy, painted black and marked with the letter "S" in white, was established in 36 feet of water, about 14 miles outside of Sapelo Entrance Sea Buoy, off the entrance to Sapelo Sound. Left tangent to Sapelo Island, SW\$Willeft tangent to Catherines Island, W9-16N, right tangent to St Catherines Island, NNW\$W.

This Notice affects the "List of Reacons and Buoya, Sixth Lighthouse District, 1896," page 36.

By order of the Lighthouse Board.

W. S. SCHLEY, Captain, U. S. Navy, Chairman.

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Queenstown, May 25 (10:55 p m)—Arrived, steamer Teutonic (Br), Cameron, New-York for Liverpool (and proceeded).

Moville, May 25—Arrived, steamers Peruvian (Br), Calvert, Montreal for Glasgow; State of Nebraska (Br), Park, New-York for Glasgow; State of Nebraska (Br), Park, New-York for Glasgow; State of Nebraska (Br), Park, New-York for Glasgow; State of Nebraska (Br), Park, Rast London, May 25—Sailed, steamer Caspian (Br), Fitzgerald, New-York, Gibratar, May 25—Passed, steamer Robert Harrowing (Br), Hughson, Palermo for New-York, Rotterdam, May 23—Arrived, steamer Diamant (Ger), Roiners, New-York.

London, May 25—Arrived, steamer Cuvier (Br), Quinlan, New-York. London, May 26—Arrived, steamer Cuvier (Br), Quintal, New-York.
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Hamburz, May 25—Arrived, steamer Chatfield (Br), Crossman, New-York,
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(Br), Park, New-York for Glasgow,
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